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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In the Application of
Hans-Jörg NUSSBAUMER, Guido HUBER
& Felix WALSER

) Examiner: Bernard Pinalto

on METHOD AND APPARATUS FOR COATING
CONTAINER BODIES INTERNALLY

) Group Art Unit: 1112

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Hon. Assistant Secretary and Commissioner
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Washington, D.C. 20231

RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sirs:

In response to the Restriction Requirement dated August 4, 1997,
Applicants provisionally elect with traverse the invention of Group I, claims 1-4.

While Applicants believe that no fee is due for this Response, please
charge any fee due for this Response to our Deposit Account No. 13-0235.

Respectfully submitted,

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